

REMARKS

By the above amendment, Applicant corrects an obvious typographical error. No new matter is added.

Applicant respectfully disagrees with the characterization of the claims, and respectfully suggests that at least Claim 1 is generic to all embodiments. Applicant shall rely on the patentability of Claim 1 to overcome the restriction requirement.

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Respectfully submitted,

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